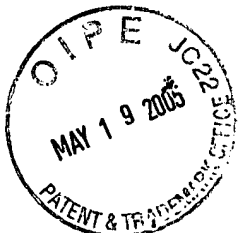


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 18, 2005, and in consideration of the enclosed request for a two-month extension of time, the Applicants hereby elect to prosecute Group 1 with claims 1-61 (including independent claims 1 and 46) in this patent application. However, Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue all of the non-elected claims in a subsequent divisional/continuation application.

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